QUESTION FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY

(but not taken up)

Primary Schools to Lambada Tandas in Aland Taluk

108. Sri DIGAMBER RAO B. KALMANKAR (Aland).—

Will the Minister for Education be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of Lambada Tandas that are in Aland Taluk ;

(*b*) whether there are any Primary Schools provided to these Tandas in Aland Taluk ;

(*c*) if so, for how many Tandas ;

(*d*) if not, the steps Government proposes to take to provide primary schools to these Tandas ?

A.—(*a*) Sri K. V. SHANKARA GOWDA (Minister for Education).—

(*a*) 40.

(*b*) Yes, where there has been need.

(*c*) and (*d*) Schools have been provided in 8 Tandas. In one Tanda, a school has been sanctioned this year. There is no need to provide schools in the remaining Tandas now as they are thinly populated.

CALLING ATTENTION TO A MATTER OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANC *re* : BIFURCATION OF BENTUR AND ANTHUR VILLAGE PANCHAYATS.

Sri K. H. PATIL (Gadag).—Sir, I call the attention of the Minister for Development and Co-operation regarding Bifurcation of Bentur and Anthur Village Panchayat.

†Sri P. M. NADGOUDA (Minister for Development, Panchayat Raj and Co-operation). Sir, in this Call Attention Notice, Sri K. H. Patil, has requested to bifurcate the existing Anthur Panchayat consisting of two Revenue Villages—Anthur and Benthur in Gadag Taluk, Dharwar District.

In Government Notification No. DPC 7 RDV 65, dated 29th November 1965, powers have been delegated to the Divisional Commissioners for re-grouping of existing Panchayats. They have been instructed to keep in view the following points while re-grouping the Panchayats :—

(i) the felt needs of the people ;

(ii) contiguity of the constituent villages ;